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COUNTY CABLE HISTORY PROGRAM FOCUSES ON COUNTY MILLS

This month's edition of County Cable Montgomery's "Paths to the Present: Montgomery County Stories" explores the mills that once turned in our County.

Throughout the 19th century, milling was a vital part of Montgomery County's economy. Today, besides the more than 30 streets that are named for mills, all that is left are the remains that have been uncovered in our parks.

"Paths to the Present" learns about why there were so many mills in Montgomery County, where they were, and what they produced. The program visits the Hyattstown Mill for an understanding of how the surrounding land had to be sculpted in order to manage the water flow.

"Paths to the Present: Montgomery County Stories" is an on-going series highlighting this county's local history and is jointly produced by the Montgomery County Council and the Montgomery County Historical Society. It can be seen on County Cable Montgomery (channel 6 on Montgomery County Cable) throughout October.

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